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Coordinator for Academic

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FROM

SUBJECT:

Invitation to Dr. Jerome Wiesner, President, MIT from the Director, CIA 13 February 1978

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- 1. Dr. Jerome Wiesner, President MIT accepted the Director's invitation on 15 February 1978 after noting that he will cancel a previous commitment to do so.
- 2. As you probably know, Dr. Wiesner was the late President Kennedy's Scientific Advisor and recalled that when he worked in Washington the Agency was one of his principal sources of help and support. He has been distressed by some more recent attacks on the Agency, which he still believes is probably doing a good job and is definitely needed, and is quite willing to help the Agency if he can.
- 3. Dr. Wiesner stated he has a rather detailed knowledge of the various Agency components and their responsibilities and is therefore not very interested in a tour of Headquarters such as might be given to those more unfamiliar with its activities. He also requested as much information as possible about the meeting, as soon as the Director's plans are firm. He was assured that we will keep him promptly informed.

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